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(54) **EXPANSION VALVE**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for an expansion valve, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view of an expansion valve showing our new design;

FIG. 2 is a front, elevation view thereof;

FIG. 3 is a top, plan view thereof;

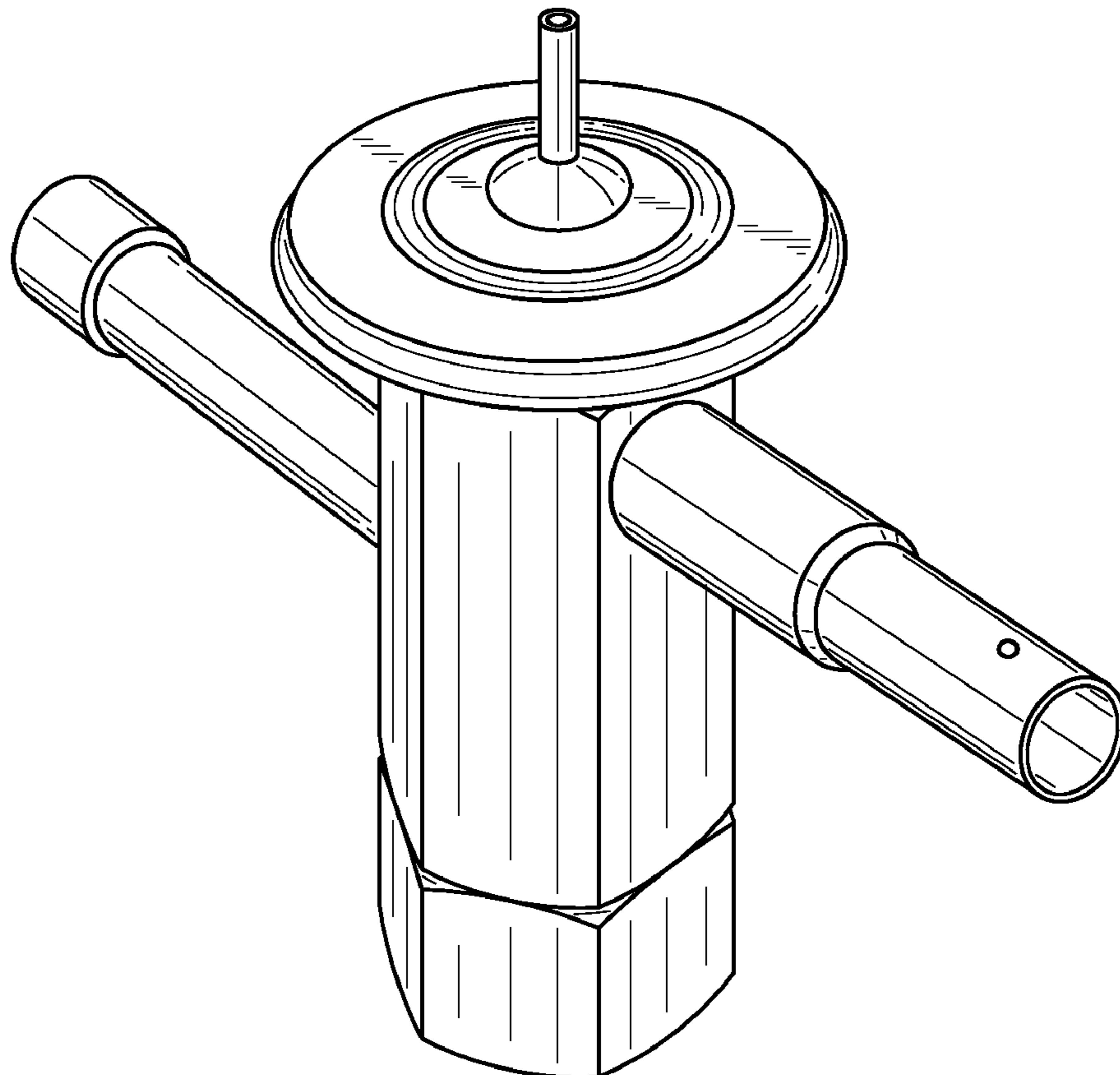
FIG. 4 is a bottom, elevation view thereof;

FIG. 5 is a left-side, elevation view thereof; and,

FIG. 6 is a right-side, elevation view thereof.

The broken line showing unclaimed portions in FIGS. 5 and 6 forms no part of the claimed design

1 Claim, 4 Drawing Sheets



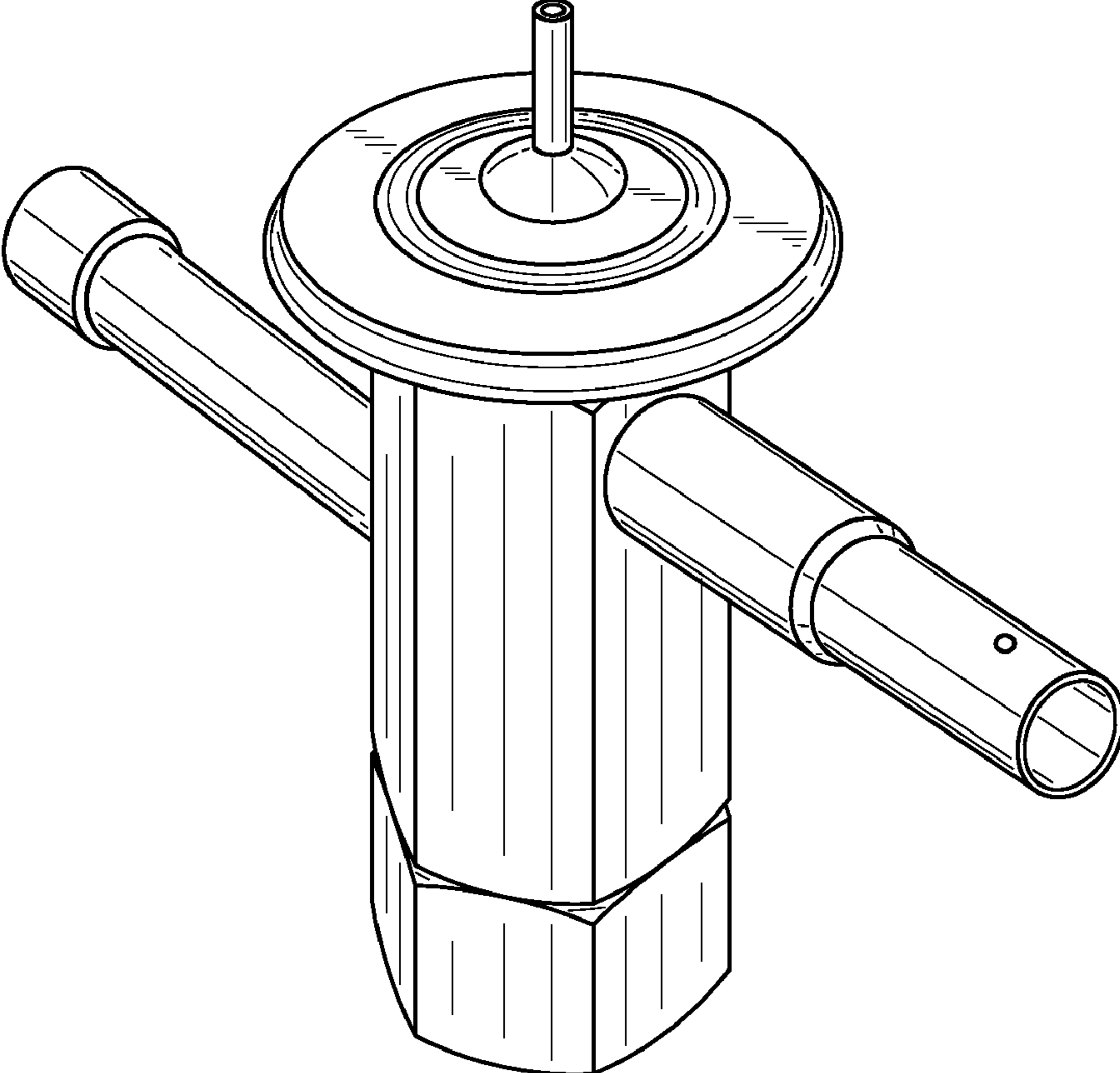


FIG. 1

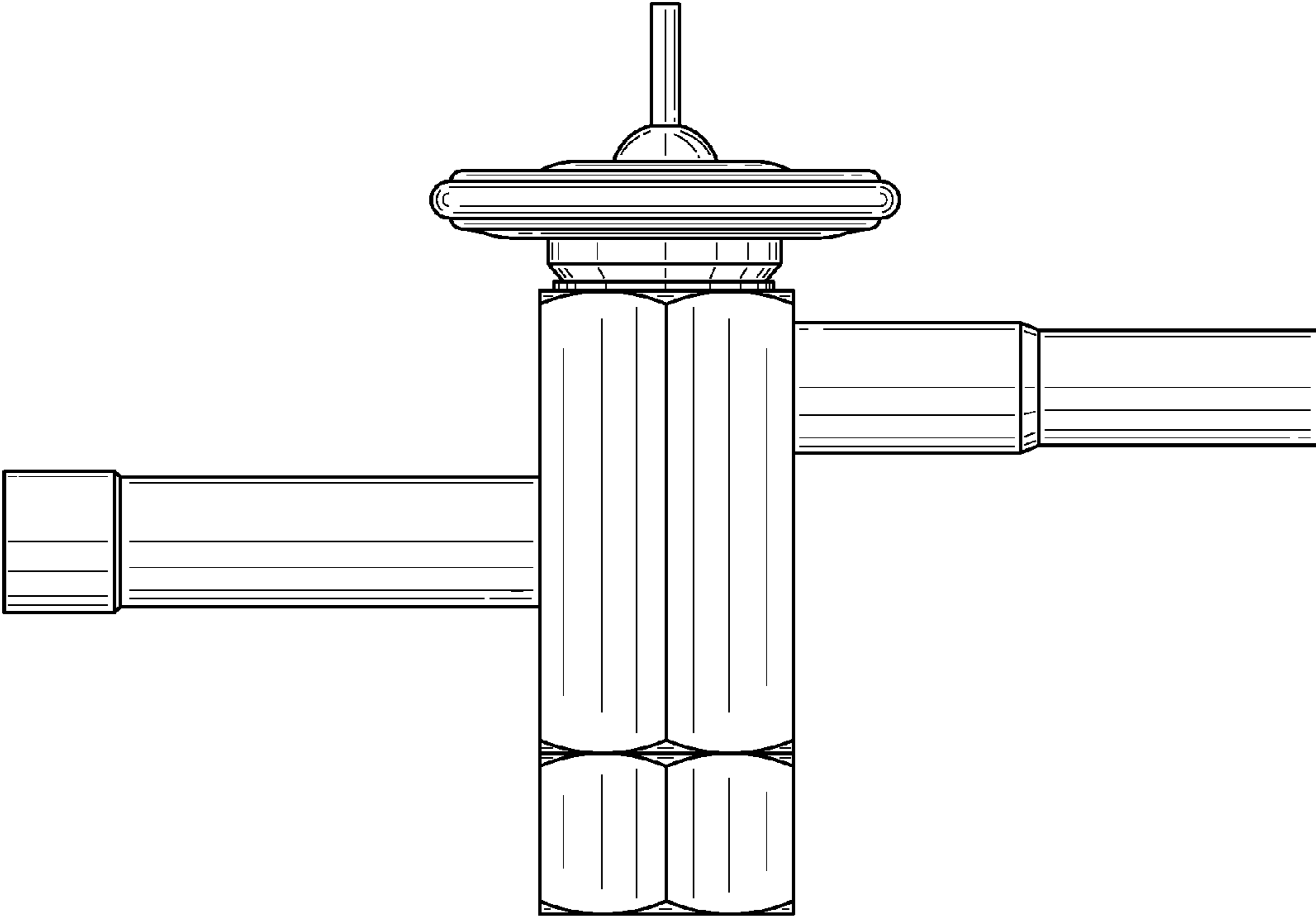


FIG.2

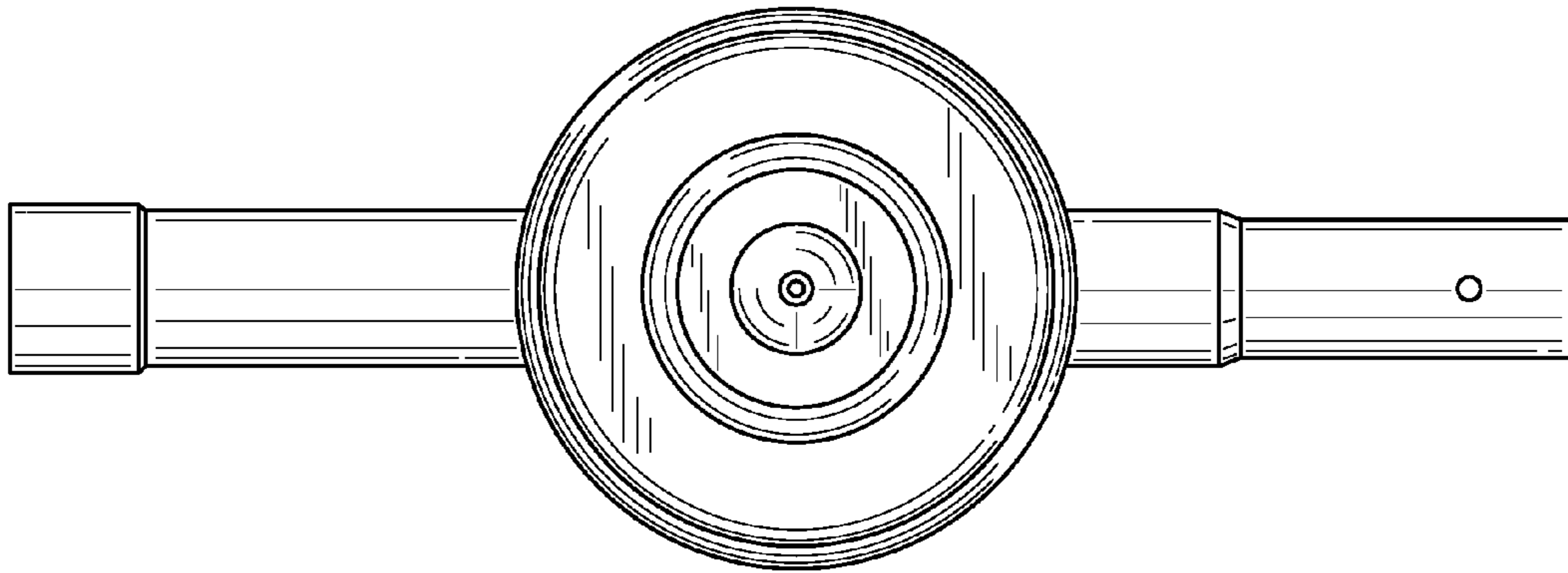


FIG.3

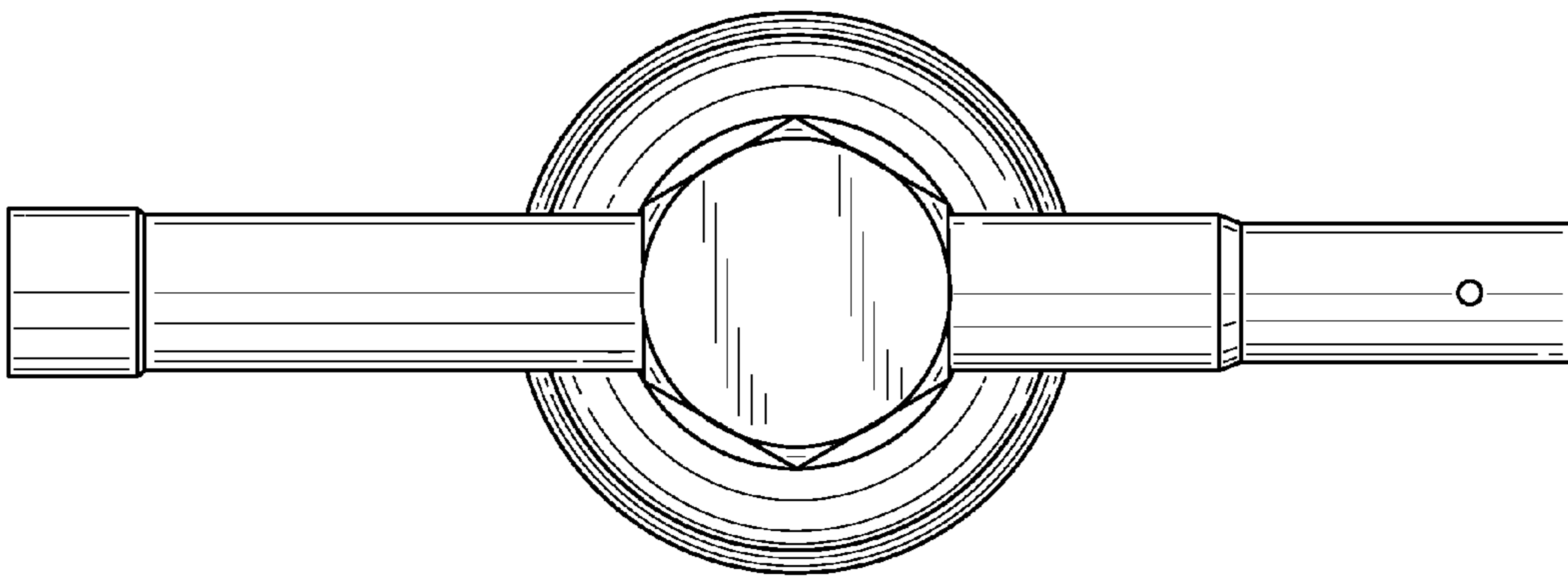


FIG.4

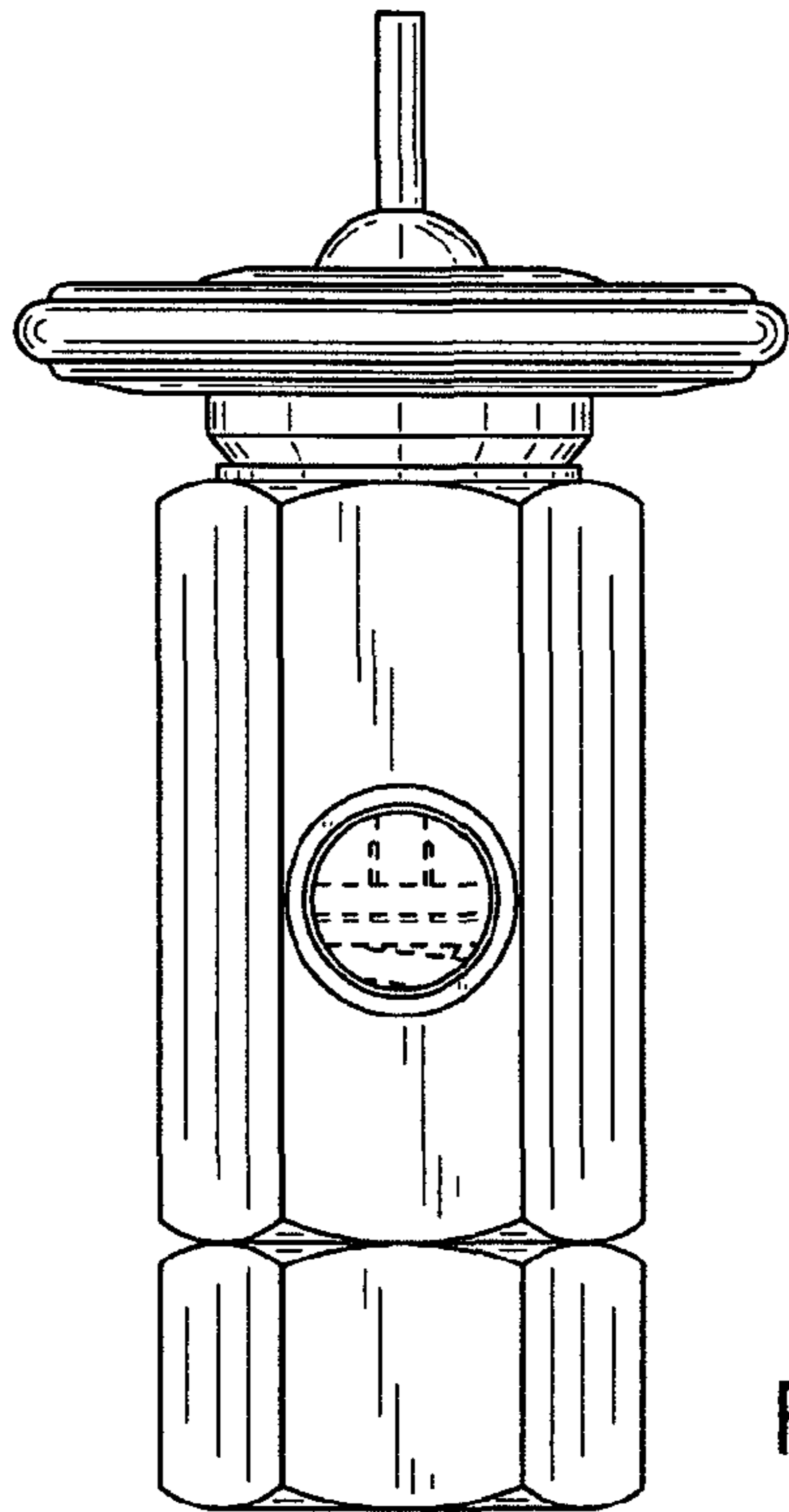


FIG. 5

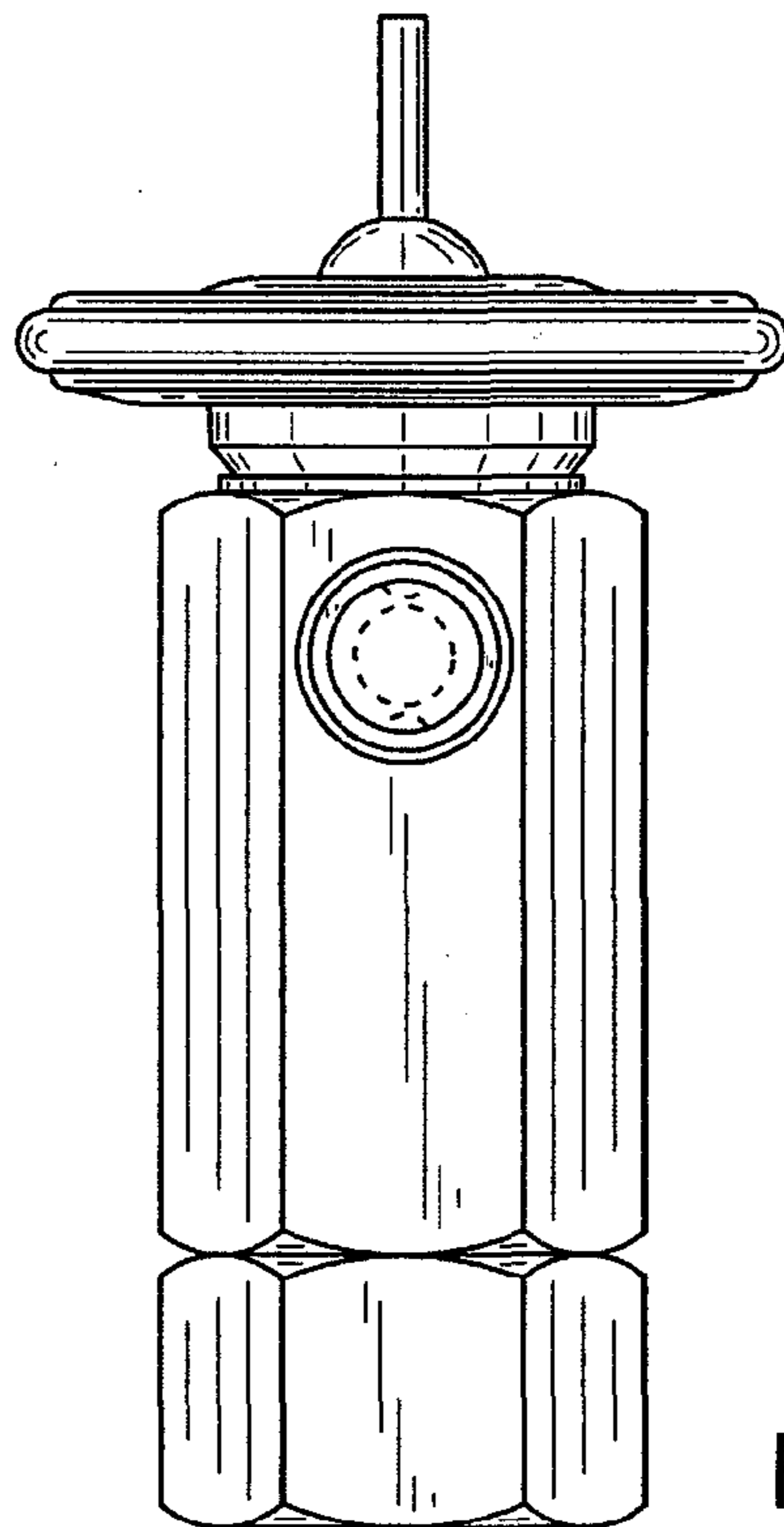


FIG. 6